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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): M. EZUMI, et al.

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For: FRICTION STIR WELDING METHOD, AND METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING CAR BODY

Art Unit: 1725 ✓

Examiner: J. Johnson

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TC 1700**AMENDMENT**Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 29, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**REMARKS** are included following the amendments.